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I-85 NORTH FLEX LANE OPEN NOW

Norcross, Ga. – New asphalt is now open for you to use on Interstate 85 northbound from State Route 140/Jimmy Carter Blvd, Exit 99 to Indian Trail Road, Exit 101. The new flex lane can be used Monday through Friday 3pm to 7pm only.

“You can use this new flex lane on your way home today. This flex lane is just like the Georgia 400 system in Fulton County. The shoulder of I-85 has been rebuilt to support traffic from Jimmy Carter Blvd to Indian Trail Road. This is the only section of flex lanes on I-85,” explained Brent Cook, Georgia DOT District Engineer.

Baldwin Paving built the new flex lane for \$2.2 million.

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